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In re Application of:

KAZUYUKI SHIGETA

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In response to the Office Action dated March 25, 2004, please amend the above-referenced application as follows. The claims changes are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2. The Remarks begin at page 7.

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